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Semester VII									
Sr. No	Course Code	Course Name	L	T	P	C			
1	BB 607	Immunology	2	1	0	6			
2	BB 414	Biology Lab IV	0	0	3	3			
3		Program Elective	3	0	0	6			
4		Institute Elective -IV	3	0	0	6			
5		HSS Elective-II	3	0	0	6			
		Total Credits				30			

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1	Title of the course (L-T-P-C)	Immunology (2-1-0-6)		
2	Pre-requisite courses(s)	Basic Cell biology and Genetics, Microbiology		
3	Course content	 Introduction, Organization of the immune system (lymphoid tissues and organs). Immune cell development (hematopoiesis, T and B cell development). Innate and adaptive immunity (including cellular and humoral responses). Antigens and Antibodies (antibody classes, Ag/Ab structure and function). Immune signaling (T cell receptor, TLRs, inflammatory and cytokine responses) and cancer. The MHC and Ag presentation and T cell development. Immunity mechanisms in disease (allergies, autoimmunity, immuno-deficiency). 		
4	Texts/References	 Judith A. Owen, Jenni Punt, Sharon A. Stranford, Patricia P. Jones., Kuby Immunology, W.H. Freeman and Company, 2013. Kenneth Murphy, Paul Travers, Mark Walport, Janeway's Immunobiology, Garland Science, Taylor & Francis Group, 200 		

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1	Title of the course	Biology Lab IV	
	(L-T-P-C)	(0-0-3-3)	
2	Pre-requisite courses(s)	None	
3	Course content	Fluorescence microscopy to examine intracellular compartments, Cell fractionation and centrifugation methods, isolation of intracellular compartments by differential centrifugation techniques, nuclei, cytoplasm etc. Basics of cell culture methods: cell counting, culture media preparation. Proliferation and using live cell imaging and MTT assay, Purification and analysis of Immunoglobulins, Immunoprecipitation, Enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA), Fluorescence-activated cell sorting (FACS) and analysis of cells Immunostaining and-imaging.	
4	Texts/References	NA	